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To-day We Are to Inaugurate the Season's Great Merchandising Event--The

## SEPT. FURNITURE SALE

25%

**Off Entire  
Stocks of Furni-  
ture, Floor  
Coverings, and  
Draperies.**

THE Hecht Semi-annual Discount Sale of Furniture, Floor Coverings, and Draperies needs no introduction to the people of Washington. The thousands who wait for this famous twice-a-year event, and who come in increasingly great throngs to take advantage of its unequalled offerings, are the best evidence of its popularity, and shows the hold it has taken on the buying plans of Washington homekeepers. The sale which begins this morning places before the people of Washington the handsomest and most complete stocks ever collected here—everything required to furnish the home from cellar to roof—and from EVERY ARTICLE of furniture, every yard of carpets and floor coverings, and all curtains and draperies there is a sweeping discount of 25 per cent. Absolutely no exceptions, save springs and bedding. All purchases will be reserved for future delivery if desired.

REMEMBER, NOW AND ALWAYS, THAT YOU CAN HAVE EVERY PURCHASE CHARGED AND PAY LATER ON.

## Metal Beds.

Old Delft Iron Bed; "Holland" decorations; steel panels; value, \$15.00; sale price..... **\$11.25**  
Special All-metal Bed, in continuous post style; value, \$2.25; sale price..... **\$1.69**  
EXTRA SPECIAL—Colonial Pattern All-Brass Bed; straight foot; 12 fillers; highly polished and best lacquer; sale price..... **\$8.00**  
Continuous-post Pattern All-brass Bed; 2-inch posts; 3/4-inch fillers; heavy brass mounts and hucks; \$24.50 value..... **\$18.38**

## Dining Chairs.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Arm Chair, leather seat.....	\$8.00 \$6.00
Side Chair, leather seat.....	\$4.00 \$3.00
Arm Chair, leather seat.....	\$10.00 \$7.50
Side Chair, leather seat.....	\$6.00 \$4.50
Side Chair, cane seat.....	\$3.50 \$2.60
Side Chair, cane seat.....	\$3.00 \$2.25
Side Chair, cane seat.....	\$2.48 \$1.86
Side Chair, cane seat.....	\$1.50 \$1.13

## Chiffoniers.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Golden Oak.....	\$80.00 \$60.00
Golden Oak.....	\$60.00 \$45.00
Golden Oak.....	\$40.00 \$30.00
Golden Oak.....	\$27.00 \$20.25
Golden Oak.....	\$17.50 \$13.13
Golden Oak.....	\$13.75 \$10.32
Golden Oak.....	\$8.50 \$6.38
Mahogany.....	\$54.50 \$40.88
Mahogany.....	\$42.00 \$31.50
Mahogany.....	\$33.00 \$24.75
Mahogany.....	\$27.50 \$20.63
Mahogany.....	\$26.50 \$19.88

## Wardrobes.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Double Mahogany, 2 bevel mirror doors.....	\$75.00 \$56.25
Double quartered oak, hand rubbed and polished.....	\$60.00 \$45.00
Single-door quartered oak, hand rubbed.....	\$50.00 \$37.50
Double solid oak, large size, 2 drawers.....	\$37.50 \$28.12
Double solid oak, 48 inches wide.....	\$23.50 \$17.63

## Couches.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Chase Leather.....	\$50.00 \$37.50
Chase Leather.....	\$37.50 \$28.13
Chase Leather.....	\$35.00 \$26.25
Spanish Leather.....	\$25.00 \$18.75
Chase Leather.....	\$17.50 \$13.13
Silk Velvet.....	\$41.50 \$31.13
Silk Velvet.....	\$34.50 \$25.88
Embossed Velvet.....	\$27.50 \$20.63
Velour.....	\$16.50 \$12.38
Velour.....	\$15.50 \$11.63
Velour.....	\$14.50 \$10.88
Velour.....	\$12.50 \$9.38
Velour.....	\$10.50 \$7.88

## Toilet Tables.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Curly Birch.....	\$30.00 \$22.50
Mahogany.....	\$24.00 \$18.00
Mahogany.....	\$22.00 \$16.50
Mahogany.....	\$21.50 \$16.13
Mahogany.....	\$16.50 \$12.38
Golden Oak.....	\$24.00 \$18.00
Golden Oak.....	\$22.00 \$16.50
Golden Oak.....	\$21.50 \$16.13

## Princess Dressers.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Mahogany.....	\$54.50 \$40.88
Mahogany.....	\$42.50 \$31.88
Mahogany.....	\$33.00 \$24.75
Mahogany.....	\$31.50 \$23.63
Mahogany.....	\$27.50 \$20.63
Mahogany.....	\$24.00 \$18.00
Golden Oak.....	\$54.50 \$40.88
Golden Oak.....	\$39.00 \$29.25
Golden Oak.....	\$38.50 \$28.88
Golden Oak.....	\$26.50 \$19.88

## Dressers and

## Chiffoniers.

Quartered Oak Serpentine front dresser; value, \$45..... **\$33.75**  
Chiffonier to match; value, \$36.50..... **\$27.38**  
Massive Quartered Oak Dresser, oval bevel-plate mirror; \$48 value..... **\$36.00**  
Chiffonier to match; value, \$36.50..... **\$30**  
Polished Quartered Oak Dresser; value, \$25; sale price..... **\$18.75**  
Chiffonier to match; value, \$24..... **\$18**  
Toona Mahogany Dresser; glass knobs; value, \$34..... **\$25.50**  
Chiffonier to match; value, \$32..... **\$24**  
5-drawer Solid Oak Chiffonier; high grade; value, \$6.98..... **\$5.24**

## Hall Racks.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Oak Hall Rack.....	\$60.00 \$45.00
Oak Hall Rack.....	\$42.50 \$31.88
Oak Hall Rack.....	\$38.50 \$28.87
Oak Hall Rack.....	\$35.00 \$26.25
Oak Hall Rack.....	\$30.00 \$22.50
Oak Hall Rack.....	\$24.00 \$18.00
Oak Hall Rack.....	\$25.50 \$19.12

## Parlor Suites.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Solid Mahogany 3-piece Suite.....	\$125.00 \$93.50
Solid Mahogany 3-piece Suite.....	\$100.00 \$75.00
Solid Mahogany 3-piece Suite.....	\$80.00 \$60.00
Solid Mahogany 3-piece Suite.....	\$65.00 \$48.75
Solid Mahogany 3-piece Suite.....	\$52.00 \$39.00
Solid Mahogany 3-piece Suite.....	\$44.00 \$33.00
Solid Mahogany 3-piece Suite.....	\$32.00 \$24.00
5-piece Silk Verona Suite.....	\$90.00 \$67.50
5-piece Silk Verona Suite.....	\$75.00 \$56.25
5-piece Silk Plush Suite.....	\$68.00 \$51.00
5-piece Silk Mercerized Verona Suite.....	\$48.00 \$36.00
5-piece Silk Damask Suite.....	\$38.50 \$29.13
5-piece Silk Tapestry Suite.....	\$30.00 \$22.50

## Sideboards.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Quartered Oak.....	\$70.00 \$52.50
Quartered Oak.....	\$60.00 \$45.00
Carved Quartered Oak.....	\$66.00 \$49.50
Quartered Oak.....	\$48.00 \$36.00
American Quartered Oak.....	\$36.00 \$27.00
Selected Oak.....	\$29.00 \$21.75
Golden Oak.....	\$20.00 \$15.00
Golden Oak.....	\$69.50 \$52.13
Golden Oak.....	\$65.00 \$48.75
Golden Oak.....	\$63.50 \$47.63

## China Closets.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Quartered Oak.....	\$88.00 \$66.00
Solid Mahogany.....	\$65.00 \$48.75
Quartered Oak.....	\$50.00 \$37.50
Carved Quartered Oak.....	\$46.00 \$34.50
Quartered Oak.....	\$38.00 \$28.50
Quartered Oak.....	\$30.00 \$22.50

## Morris Chairs.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Golden Oak.....	\$15.50 \$11.63
Golden Oak.....	\$13.50 \$10.13
Golden Oak.....	\$12.50 \$9.38
Golden Oak.....	\$10.00 \$7.50

## Music Cabinets.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Mahogany.....	\$34.50 \$25.88
Mahogany.....	\$28.50 \$21.38
Mahogany.....	\$24.00 \$18.00
Mahogany.....	\$20.00 \$15.00
Mahogany.....	\$18.98 \$14.24
Mahogany.....	\$17.00 \$12.75
Mahogany.....	\$14.00 \$10.50
Mahogany.....	\$10.50 \$7.88
Mahogany.....	\$5.98 \$4.49

## Parlor Tables.

Regular price.	Sale price.
Golden Oak.....	\$2.50 \$1.88
Golden Oak.....	\$3.50 \$2.63
Golden Oak.....	\$5.50 \$4.13
Mahogany.....	\$8.50 \$6.38
Mahogany.....	\$7.50 \$5.63
Mahogany.....	\$12.50 \$9.38
Golden Oak.....	\$12.50 \$9.38

## 25% Off All Carpets and Floor Coverings

## Carpets.

60c Ingrain Carpets.....	74c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	64c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	54c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	44c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	34c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	24c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	14c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	4c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	3c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	2c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	1c
60c Ingrain Carpets.....	0c

## Rugs.

35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$26.25
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$24.00
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$22.50
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$21.25
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$20.00
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$18.75
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$17.50
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$16.25
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$15.00
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$13.75
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$12.50
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$11.25
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$10.00
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$8.75
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$7.50
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$6.25
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$5.00
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$3.75
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$2.50
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	\$1.25
35c 9x12 Axminster.....	0c

## Linoleum &amp; Oilcloth.

60c Cork Linoleum.....	90c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	74c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	64c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	54c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	44c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	34c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	24c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	14c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	4c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	3c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	2c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	1c
60c Cork Linoleum.....	0c

"POPULAR" CARPET SWEEPERS; save time and work; sold at 75c. For the 95c sale, special at 95c.

## WILL ASK \$25,000 FOR CONVENTIONS

## Chamber Wants the District to Contribute.

## WILL GO TO COMMISSIONERS

Business Men Declare Municipality and Congress Should Share Cost of Entertaining Strangers—Will Go After Conservation Congress—C. W. Darr Made Director.

A new idea was broached at yesterday's meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, but one perhaps which will appeal to the business men and progressive citizens of the District as being peculiarly appropriate and wise. This idea was contained in a report made to the directors by the chairman of the conventions committee, and was that the Commissioners of the District be requested by the Chamber to include in its next schedule of appropriations an item of \$25,000, to be used under proper restrictions, for the entertainment of visitors who come to the city to attend great national meetings.

## MUNYON'S PAW-PAW LIVER PILLS

We want any person who suffers with biliousness, constipation, indigestion, or any liver or blood ailment, to try our Paw-Paw Liver Pills. We guarantee they will purify the blood and put the liver and stomach into a healthy condition, and will positively cure biliousness and constipation, or we will refund your money.

appropriate in Washington as being the Capital of the nation, and often called upon to entertain large gatherings of more or less a national character.

## Directors Favor Plan.

Several of the directors, however, took a wider view of the subject, and said, with a good degree of emphasis, that it was not only desirable, but the duty of the local government, aided by Congress, to take a portion of this load of entertainment off the hands of the private citizens of Washington.

President Gude instanced the recent visit of the Vienna singers to Washington. Here, he said, was a body of men coming to America from Austria. They were visitors of prominence in their own country, and their entertainment had been left to the German residents of the city, who raised a fund from private sources of about \$4,000 to give the Austrians suitable welcome in the Capital of the United States.

Mr. Gude declared that it was much more the duty of the municipality or of the national government to provide the means of showing courtesy to the Viennese college men than it was for a comparatively few men of German ancestry, inspired with a love of the folk songs and the music of the fatherland.

## Authorize a Committee.

The directors concurred unanimously in the proposition of laying the matter before the Commissioners, and President Gude and Vice Presidents Oyster and Bell were appointed a special committee to request the Commissioners to appropriate \$25,000 as a municipal fund to be used in the entertainment of guests to conventions and other bodies which may come to Washington.

Yesterday's meeting of the directors was an adjourned meeting from the regular gathering in July, and at the close yesterday the directors adjourned to meet the second Wednesday in September.

The other principal topic discussed by the directors yesterday was the effort proposed by the conventions committee to bring the Conservation Congress here next year. It was pointed out that this was a specially desirable meeting to have in Washington, on account of the eminent men who make addresses, the prominence of the men who sit as delegates, as well as the national character of the topics discussed. After discussing the matter, it was decided to appropriate \$200 to send a representative of the Chamber to St. Paul to work specially to bring the congress here in 1911.

It was also decided to accept the invitation of the management of the congress to send delegates to sit in the

convention, and President Gude took the matter of their appointment under advisement, with a view to selecting such men as could go and such as might be intending to attend the St. Paul gathering.

## The balance of the session was taken up with routine work.

A communication was read from the chamber of commerce of Annapolis, asking the co-operation of the Washington body to secure a rescinding of the recent order of the Navy Department, looking to the establishment of commissary stores at Washington and at the Naval Academy, which was referred to the committee on retail trade for action.

An appropriation of \$50 was made to pay for membership in the Southern Commercial Congress.

## C. W. Darr, on motion of D. J. Callahan, was elected a member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by the death of J. W. Herron.

## MECHANICS HAVE BIRTHDAY.

Rev. S. K. Cockrell is speaker at Anniversary Celebration.

More than 800 persons attended the twenty-third anniversary celebration of the Mount Vernon Council, Junior Order of American Mechanics, last night at Third and Pennsylvania avenue south-east.

Rev. S. K. Cockrell, pastor of Marvin M. E. Church South, made an address, in which he lauded the patriotic spirit of the fraternity. James F. Espey, a charter member of the council, was present and recounted many incidents in the life of the order. Speeches were also made by Councilor A. E. Johnson and Past Councilor Charles J. Williams.

The officers elected for the year were: A. E. Johnson, councilor; William B. Espey, vice councilor; William C. Carter, financial secretary; John E. Smallwood, recording secretary; George A. Cahill, assistant secretary; Charles Sanderson, conductor; William H. Stein, warden; M. Wilson, inside guard; James M. Shepherd, outside guard; Charles A. Williams, junior past councilor; F. F. Kress, G. M. Yost, and H. W. Stein, trustees.

## Wanted as a Check Forger.

Acting on information from the Cincinnati police, Detective Cox, of the Central office, left last night for Mansfield, Ohio, where he will arrest Frederick E. Pierce, wanted here on three bad check charges. Pierce operated in this city about a year ago, placing orders with florists and giving checks forged with the names of prominent residents.

## WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Wednesday, Aug. 31, 10:30 p. m. The Western Gulf of Mexico disturbance has apparently moved into Mexico. No unusual occurrences were reported from stations of observation, but press reports state that some damage was caused by high winds on the coast below Brownsville, Tex.

**Local Temperature.**  
Midnight, 65; 2 a. m., 64; 4 a. m., 62; 6 a. m., 64; 8 a. m., 66; 10 a. m., 70; 12 noon, 76; 2 p. m., 78; 4 p. m., 78; 6 p. m., 74; 8 p. m., 72; Maximum, 78; minimum, 61.  
Relative humidity—8 a. m., 74; 2 p. m., 70; 8 p. m., 68. Rainfall, 0.5 p. m. to 8 p. m., 7. Hours of sunshine, 4. Per cent of possible sunshine, 30.  
Temperature same date last year—Maximum, 79; minimum, 58.

**Temperatures in Other Cities.**  
Temperatures in other cities, together with the amount of rainfall, for the twenty-four hours ended at 8 p. m. yesterday, are as follows:

City.	Max.	Min.	8 p. m.	Rainfall.
Asheville, N. C.	80	66	72	0.60
Atlanta, Ga.	81	72	72	0.18
Baltimore, Md.	76	68	72	0.00
Bismarck, N. D.	80	68	72	0.00
Boston, Mass.	72	54	66	0.00
Buffalo, N. Y.	74	68	68	0.02
Chicago, Ill.	82	68	72	0.00
Cincinnati, Ohio.	72	58	74	0.00
Cheyenne, Wyo.	82	66	72	0.00
Dayton, Ohio.	78	68	72	0.00
Denver, Colo.	86	48	80	0.00
Des Moines, Iowa.	72	56	68	0.00
Galveston, Tex.	82	68	72	0.00
Helena, Mont.	68	48	64	0.00
Indianapolis, Ind.	86	66	76	0.00
Los Angeles, Cal.	80	74	80	0.00
Little Rock, Ark.	80	72	82	0.00
London, Eng.	68	58	68	0.18
Marquette, Mich.	62	42	58	0.00
Memphis, Tenn.	90	72	82	0.00
New Orleans, La.	90	78	82	0.00